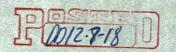
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December 4, 2018

Jocelyn Boyd
Chief Clerk and Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Posting Notice for Allowable Ex Parte Communication Briefing

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-3-260(C)(6)(a)(v)-(vii), Timothy Alan Simon, Esq., TAS Strategies, Drexel Hamilton, LLC, Loop Capital Markets, Ramirez & Co. and Williams Capital Markets Group respectfully requests that the Public Service Commission of South Carolina post the attached "Notice of Request for Allowable Ex Parte Briefing" on its website no later than } December 11, 2018. Timothy Alan Simon, Esq. has confirmed that the Commissioners and Commission employees identified in the attached Notice, as well as the Executive Director of the Office of Regulatory Staff [or the person designated by the Executive Director or, if applicable, the agreed-upon neutral person] are available and willing to attend the Briefing as described in the attached Notice.

Sincerely,

Timothy Alan Simon, Esq.

cc: Office of Regulatory Staff

If the briefing is requested to respond to a prior briefing by another person or party, the requested date must be at least five business days prior to the proposed briefing and at least ten business days prior to the hearing in the proceeding. See S.C. Code Ann. §58-3-260(C)(a)(vii).

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NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR ALLOWABLE EX PARTE BRIEFING

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-3-260(C)(6)(a)(v)-(vii), the Public Service Commission of South Carolina hereby provides the following notice of a request for an

allowable ex parte communication briefing:	The second secon
Person-or Party Requesting the Briefing:	Timothy Alan Simon, Esq./TAS STRATEGIES
Date and Time of the Proposed Briefing:	December 18, 2018, 10:00am [MONTH, DATE, YEAR, TIME]
Commissioners and Commission Employees Requested to Attend Briefing:	REQUEST FULL COMMISSION AND RELEVANT STAFF [NAME, POSITION]
Subject Matter to Be Discussed at Briefing:	South Carolina Utility Supplier Diversity in Financial Services [DESCRIPTION]
Commission Docket No.:	N/A [IF APPLICABLE]